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|   | RNAT   | IONAL APPLICATION NO.   | PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED<br>February 3, 2004                  |                                  |  |  |  |  |  |
|   | PCT/FR2005/050063 February 2, 2005 February 3, 2004  TITLE OF INVENTION A TRIBOMETER |   |  |                                  |  |  |  |  |  |
| APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Denis MAZUYER; Andre LARGE  |  |   |  |                                  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information: |  |   |  |                                  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1. This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.   |  |   |  |                                  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2.  | $\boxtimes$  | This is a <b>SECOND</b> or <b>SUBSEQUE</b>  | NT submission of items concerning                          | g a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 3.  | $\boxtimes$  | This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below. |  |                                  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 4.  |  | The US has been elected (Article 3  | 1).  |                                  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 5.  |  | A copy of the International Applicat  | ion as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))                         |                                  |  |  |  |  |  |
|   |  | a.  is attached hereto (required  | only if not communicated by the In                         | nternational Bureau).            |  |  |  |  |  |
|   |  | b.  has been communicated by  | the International Bureau.                                  |                                  |  |  |  |  |  |
|   |  | c.  is not required, as the applic  | cation was filed in the United States                      | s Receiving Office (RO/US).      |  |  |  |  |  |
| 6.  |  | An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))   |  |                                  |  |  |  |  |  |
|   |  | a.  is attached hereto.   |  |                                  |  |  |  |  |  |
|   |  | b.  has been previously submit  | ted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).                             |                                  |  |  |  |  |  |
|   |  | c. The International Application was filed in English.  |  |                                  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 7.  |  | Amendments to the claims of the li  | nternational Application under PCT                         | Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)) |  |  |  |  |  |
|   |  | a. ☐ are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).   |  |                                  |  |  |  |  |  |
|   |  | b.  have been communicated by the International Bureau  |  |                                  |  |  |  |  |  |
|   |  | c. have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.  |  |                                  |  |  |  |  |  |
|   |  | d. have not been made and will not be made.   |  |                                  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 8.  |  | An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).   |  |                                  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 9.  | ×  | An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).  |  |                                  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 10.   |  | An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).                    |  |                                  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:   |  |   |  |                                  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 11.   |  | An Information Disclosure Stateme   |  |                                  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 12.   |  | An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.   |  |                                  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 13.   |  | A preliminary amendment.  |  |                                  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 14.   |  | An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76.  |  |                                  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 15.   |  | A substitute specification.   |  |                                  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 16.   | _<br>⊠   | A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.  |  |                                  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 17.   |  | A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13 <i>ter</i> .2 and 37 CFR 1.821 - 1.825.   |  |                                  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 18.   |  | A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).   |  |                                  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 19.   |  | A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).   |  |                                  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 20.   | ×  | Other items or information: Response to Notification of Missing Requirements; Transmittal of Power of Attorney and Statement Under 37 C.F.R. §3.73(b)             |  |                                  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| 21.   The following fees are submitted   |  |   | CALCULATIONS   | PTO USE ONLY                 |  |  |
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| International search report provided to US   |  |   |  |                              |  |  |
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# RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) WITH DECLARATION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) (copy attached) mailed on March 23, 2007, submitted herewith is the executed Declaration of the inventors and a Power of Attorney. Any necessary Designation of Attorneys for Power of Attorney or Transmittal of Power of Attorney and Statement Under 37 C.F.R. §3.73(b) is also attached. Any specification attached to and referenced in the Declaration is a copy of the specification and any amendments thereto which were filed in the Office in order to obtain a filing date for the application.

Attached is our Check No. 192594 for  $\times$ \$130.00 for the fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.492(h).

Entry of these documents should complete all of the filing formalities and fully satisfy all requirements of the Notification of Missing Requirements. Accordingly, prompt issuance of a Notification of Acceptance and Official Filing Receipt, and prompt examination and allowance of this application are respectfully solicited.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee (or credit any overpayment) associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 15-0461.

Respectfully submitted,

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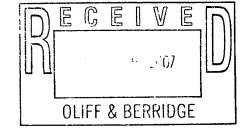
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## NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

DUE DATE

Copy of the International Application filed on 07/28/2006

- English Translation of the IA filed on 07/28/2006
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 07/28/2006
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 07/28/2006
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 07/28/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 07/28/2006
- Priority Documents filed on 07/28/2006

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The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

#### SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

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ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

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